

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants:	Grotendorst and Neff	Art Unit:	1647
Application No.:	10/658,856	Examiner:	L. Spector
Filing Date:	September 9, 2003	Conf. No.:	3430
Title:	CONNECTIVE TISSUE GROWTH FACTOR FRAGMENTS AND METHODS AND USES THEREOF		

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed July 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Title** are begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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